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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 1.495
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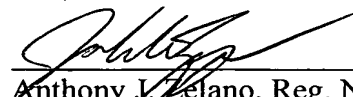
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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Defective Response dated June 7, 2006 (copy enclosed), Applicants believe that the notification was issued in error. An English Translation is **not** required since at the time of filing, the application was submitted in English. A copy of the specification is enclosed.

Therefore, it is believed that no fee of \$130.00 is due in connection with the English Translation. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR § 1.16 and § 1.17 which may be required to facilitate this filing, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account #13-3402.

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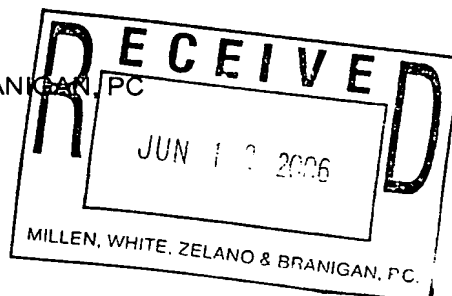
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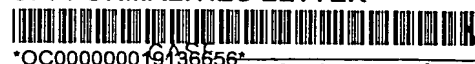
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DUE DATE

Date Mailed: 06/07/2006

NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/06/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/06/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 12/06/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 12/06/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 03/31/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/06/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 12/06/2005

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ACTION

DUE DATE

Applicant's response filed 03/31/2006 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 02/28/2006 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Processing fee of \$130 for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

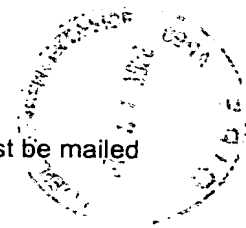
Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under

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37 CFR 1.136(a).

- \$130 for English translation surcharge not received in full.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)



*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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